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WEST VIRGINIA IS COUNTED DOUBTFUL

BUT JOHN W. DAVIS HAS EDGE IN THIS STATE.

LABOR VOTE IMPORTANT

Is Deep Admiration for Democratic Candidate—Charles W. Bryan Not Considered Extremist.

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Wheeling, W. Va., Oct. 22.—John W. Davis is not conceded his own state by the Republicans.

State pride on which under ordinary circumstances there could be reliance, may help the Democratic nominee this time, but the entrance of LaFollette into the lists as an invader of Democracy's ranks makes West Virginia truly doubtful.

West Virginia is not a Democratic state. It failed to follow its neighbor, Ohio, in the upset of 1916. But it probably would have been assured to its favorite son this time had there been merely a contest between Calvin Coolidge and John W. Davis.

The labor vote in West Virginia is a determining factor. As a rule it voices its protests by voting for the party out of power. John W. Davis is held in friendly regard especially since the words of cordial endorsement given him by William B. Wilson, secretary of labor in the Wilson administration.

But while labor will divide its vote this year three ways and probably will give to Coolidge and Davis the bulk of its support, enough will be thrown to LaFollette to diminish Davis' natural lead in his home state. Even as few as 30,000 votes for LaFollette, if most of them came from the Democratic party, would make the difference between victory and defeat for John W. Davis.

State Proud of Davis.

There is unquestionably throughout West Virginia a deep admiration for the personality and attainments of the Democratic nominee, but partisanship runs deeper in many instances than state pride. It is true that the last few years John W. Davis has been living in New York and the Republican workers are emphasizing that fact as much as possible, particularly since the sample ballots distributed contained the words "John W. Davis of New York."

But the Democratic nominee and his family have long been identified with the state and one has to sojourn to Clarksburg but a day to find how warm is the affection of the West Virginia people for their son. The Democrats are well organized and have made an appeal for votes for Davis along non-partisan lines hoping especially that the women voters would go over in large numbers to compliment West Virginia's candidate.

State Not Certain.

Davis has been here and in other parts of the state and is counting on West Virginia to give him the electoral vote. It may. One cannot feel certain about the state for either Coolidge or Davis, though there is an air of confidence about the Republicans which indicates that they hope for good results from the intensive campaign they have been putting on ever since it was apparent that this would be fighting ground.

Particularly effective has been the drive among businessmen who are ordinarily Democrats. The strategy of the Republicans here as elsewhere has been to make the whole campaign impersonal, simply arguing that it is a struggle between radicalism or "attempts to over-throw the constitution" and the maintenance of things as they are. By no stretch of the imagination can West Virginia be called a radical state or one that borders on the progressive for she has had by-partisan handicaps that have repressed her true spirit. To the minds of West Virginians, John Davis doesn't represent anything radical though in conservative quarters the addition of Governor Bryan to the ticket has been looked upon with mingled feelings of fear and astonishment. Political expediency which covers a multitude of sins is accepted as the only reason for the action of John Davis in picking the Nebraska governor as a running mate. For here where they know Davis they in-

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S. H. Kemp to Move to Farm for Awhile

S. H. Kemp, who was burned a few months ago at his home and is now recovering from the burns, will spend the next six or seven months with his son, Joseph Kemp, on his farm between Pickering and Hopkins to recover his health. Mr. Kemp is improving nicely but he was so badly injured it will be necessary for him to spend some time out in the open air for his complete recovery.

SCHOOL BOARD IS PLEDGED SUPPORT

CITIZENS CONDEMN PROPOSED FILLING STATION.

RESOLUTION IS PASSED

Number Make Speeches Opposing Location at First and Vine Streets for Service Plant.

A resolution, opposing the establishment of a filling station at the southwest corner of First and Vine streets by the Marland Oil Co., and pledging the support of the citizens to the school board in preventing the locating of the station at this corner, was adopted at the mass meeting held in the circuit court room last night.

The resolution was introduced by J. F. Hull after L. C. Cook, the president of the board of education, had called the meeting to order and explained the purpose of the assembly.

In his explanatory address, Mr. Cook said that the school board believes that a filling station located just across the street from the Washington school building would be a hazard to the lives of the students in this school. Mr. Cook said that the cars going into the filling station would have to cross the sidewalks twice and thus 100 cars would be equally as dangerous as 200 crossing a sidewalk but once. He said that the school board not only objected to the filling station on account of the alleged danger but also on account of the noise of the cars in stopping and starting after the tanks were filled with gasoline. He said this would prove a nuisance to the peace of the school.

In presenting the resolution, J. F. Hull said that the citizens of Maryville had no objections to the Marland company's establishing a filling station in Maryville but they did object to locating the station just across the street from the public school building.

R. R. Richardson of St. Joseph, a representative of the Marland Refining Co., was present at the meeting, and in a short speech said that "it was the last thought in the minds of the company to arouse opposition to the filling station." Mr. Richardson said that he went to a member of the school board, who owns and operates a filling station, and this member said there would be no objection to the establishment of a filling station at this particular place.

The oil company's representative also said that the city council had offered no opposition to the location of a filling station at First and Vine streets and that the company had purchased the lot and started construction of the station in good faith.

L. E. Ziegler, superintendent of the Maryville public schools, said that about 180 children crossed the street at the point where the station would be located and that it would prove a hazard to the lives of these grade school children. He also stated that considerable congestion of traffic would result from the establishment of a filling station, due to a number of cars coming in for gasoline and other supplies.

Mr. Ziegler pointed out that the public schools of the country were the greatest commercial enterprises of all and if the proposition were considered from a business standpoint alone, the public schools were far the best money making institution.

Short speeches in support of the resolution were also made by Miss Mary Ford, a teacher in the Washington school, William Armstrong, Dr. Jesse Miller, Sr., T. H. Cook, and R. P. Hosmer.

E. L. Sanderson, also representing the Marland Oil Co., was present at the meeting and made a short talk against the resolution.

"The man in the street isn't thinking now, he's dodging." — Muskogee Phoenix.

URGE REPAIRS TO COUNTY BUILDINGS

GRAND JURY REPORTS CONDITION COUNTY PROPERTY.

FARM IN GOOD SHAPE

Body Discharged Last Night—Sixteen Indictments Returned During This Term of Court.

Contrary to precedent, the Grand Jury, in its report of the county buildings, failed this year to recommend a new jail. The Grand Jury made its report of county property, which was filed with the circuit clerk late yesterday.

The Grand Jury reported that the county farm and jail were in a clean condition and well kept. However, it recommended some repairs for the county jail and most important that fireproof vaults be installed in the courthouse.

The Grand Jury was discharged last night after making its report of the county property and turning in seven more indictments. All told sixteen indictments have been made since it has been in session October 2, eleven more True Bills than were made by the Grand Jury last year.

The report of the Grand Jury to the County Court of the county buildings after a thorough inspection had been made is in full as follows:

The County Farm.

We wish to commend the superintendency of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Brown at the county farm and we are glad to report that we found everything about the farm in good condition. The farm itself is being kept up in good shape and we believe that Mr. Brown is giving to it an efficient management. We found the buildings in a clean and sanitary condition. We believe that the inmates there are being given all necessary attention and are cared for efficiently. We did find, however, that many of the rooms are not efficiently lighted. The present system of lighting by oil lamps is entirely inadequate and at the same time dangerous. Hence, we recommend that a modern and efficient lighting system be installed as soon as possible.

The County Jail.

We found the county jail in a clean and sanitary condition. We do find the building in need of some repairs. We found that the revolving cell cage is not in working condition, so we recommend that this be repaired, thus giving more cell space which is needed and it will also permit the jailer to keep all the cells therein in a much cleaner condition. We further suggest that the tower on the roof of the jail be screened, thus keeping the birds away from the ventilators which extend down into the cells beneath.

The Courthouse.

We recommend that the courthouse be given a thorough cleaning. There is considerable need of some plastering done and many of the rooms need redecorating. Especially would we recommend that the circuit court room be gone over thoroughly and put in a neater and cleaner condition. The old window shades in the court room and some other rooms should be replaced with new ones. We note also that the recorder's, probate judge's and circuit clerk's offices are inadequate. We recommend that a plan be worked out which will give to these offices more office space and particularly more vault space. We further recommend that a thorough examination be made by those competent to judge as to whether all vaults in the courthouse are fireproof, and if they are not, they should be given this necessary repair as the safekeeping of all the records and documents is involved.

We believe it to be our duty to call the attention of Nodaway County citizens to these existing conditions, for we feel that they are unbecoming to the pride and dignity of our great county.

Signed,
C. R. LaMar,
Foreman, Grand Jury.

Reserve Officers Can't Serve as Electors

Washington, Oct. 22.—Officers of the reserve corps, United States army, are not eligible to serve as presidential electors, according to an opinion today by the Judge-Advocate of the army.

C. of C. to Furnish Program at School

Lone Valley To Celebrate Completion Of New Road Past Schoolhouse —Will Be Held Friday.

The Maryville Chamber of Commerce will provide a speaker and several musicians at the celebration program at the Lone Valley school, eleven miles northwest of Maryville, Friday afternoon. The celebration is being held on account of the completion of the new road past the schoolhouse. This is not a state road but is a new one recently built by aid of the county court.

TO MAKE A GO OF TOWNSHIP SOCIETY

TEMPORARY RURAL COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION EFFECTED.

CHOSE KARL ZIMMERMAN

As Temporary Chairman—Organization Will Meet On November 18—Nominating Committee Appointed

A temporary rural community organization was effected last night at the High School auditorium by more than 100 members of the various rural community clubs of Polk township, to be composed of and for every man, woman and child in the rural districts of Polk township. Karl Zimmerman, member of the Knabb Community Club, was elected temporary chairman. J. Ross Fleetwood, county agent, was elected the temporary secretary-treasurer.

A nominating committee composed of the following was selected:

Garrett Club, to be named later on.
Rockford Club, John R. Evans.
Elm Grove Club, Mrs. Jack Farnan.
Martha Washington Club, D. O. Belt.
Knabb Club, Mrs. Wilson Nicholas.
Herron Club, Charles Porter.
Lasher Club, Ella O'Grady.

It was moved and seconded that the chairman of each organization, not represented at the meeting last night, appoint a representative to meet with the nominating committee. The nominating committee is also to appoint a committee to arrange a program for the next meeting.

The meeting adjourned voting to meet the third Tuesday in November, which is November 18.

The discussion meeting was called to order by Mr. Fleetwood, who first explained the Extension Service and its relation to the farmers of the state, especially as it worked in connection with the community centers. He said that the meeting last night was an outgrowth of two other meetings that have been held by representatives of the community clubs in Polk township and at this time the proposition of a township-wide community organization should either be adopted or turned down.

Mr. Fleetwood then presented in a brief way a model program of work that the Extension Service of the University of Missouri has outlined for community centers, saying that it was only a model and existing conditions always vary the outline of a program.

John R. Evans, former president of the Farm Bureau; Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools; and Roy Lippman, president of the County Farm Bureau, all spoke. All three men were of the opinion that a community club organization, such as was proposed, would be a great benefit to the rural community. It was pointed out that the conditions in the rural communities are what the residents there make them and if they are to be improved it is up to the farmers themselves. Community clubs in the various school districts of the county have been organized and have proved a benefit, was the consensus of opinion and a larger organization, wherein there would be a larger acquaintance and bigger projects could prove nothing but a benefit.

The business meeting followed a splendid program which was presented by members of different community clubs in Polk township. The program was enjoyed by all and was complimented by many. Two reels of motion pictures were shown by F. R. Marcell.

Betty Eloise Wray.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wray of Burlington Junction are the parents of a daughter, born Monday. The baby has been named Betty Eloise.

DAMAGE SUIT TO GO TO JURY TODAY

WITNESS FROM ATCHISON COUNTY EXAMINED.

SHELL TO BE EXAMINED

For His Sanity—Ripley Road Case Is Scheduled for Trial Tomorrow.

The Blaine Duncan versus J. B. Christensen damage suit for malicious prosecution, on a change of venue from Atchison County, which has occupied more than two days of Circuit Court, will go to the jury late this afternoon. Yesterday and most of today witnesses from Atchison County have been called upon the stand to testify.

Christensen is being sued by Blaine Duncan of Fairfax, alleging malicious prosecution on the part of Christensen. The case is brought on two counts, each for $20,000. This is the fifteenth day of Circuit Court of the October term.

Fred Shell of Maryville, indicted by the Grand Jury for second degree forgery was arraigned in Circuit Court this morning. As he was unable to furnish a counsel, L. C. Cook was appointed by the court. A complaint was made against Shell recently by several merchants of Maryville that he had given them forged checks, forging the name of his brother and father.

Shell pleaded not guilty in open court and his bail fixed at $500 which he was unable to give. Dr. F. M. Ryan and Dr. C. P. Fryer were appointed to examine defendant as to his mentality and to report to the court.

The case of the state highway commission against Marion Ripley, road condemnation, is scheduled for trial tomorrow. Mr. Ripley filed objections to the report of the commissioners, who assessed his damages for the land taken by the new state highway south of Maryville.

A suit to quiet title, Ed Dowis against David Cowan, et al., was entered on the books this morning. The plaintiff files petition and publication ordered.

In the case Roy Buck, Ernest L. Buck and Edith M. Updegraff, ex parte, partition, subject to court and evidence held. Decree for partition by sale of lands subject to mortgage as per form filed.

A decree for partition for sale of land subject to mortgage in partition suit of Ruth Thompson by next friend, against Frank C. Buck, et al.

Convicts Loot Suit Case and Mail Sacks

Escaped Prisoners From Leavenworth Active at Parnell and Conception Junction Last Night.

Two escaped convicts from the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., robbed the contents of a suit case in the station at Parnell some time during the night. Two suits, sweaters and shoes were taken by the escaped prisoners in exchange for their prison garb.

At Conception Junction two mail sacks were stolen last night and near the river bridge west of Conception Junction the mail sacks were found opened and devoid of contents.

Gabe Purcell, deputy sheriff, who is working on the case, found the number of the convicts on the clothing they cast off and got into communication with the authorities at the prison at Leavenworth, and was informed these convicts had escaped.

Barnard Band Making Tour of County

Are Boosting the Candidacy of Lowell Campbell for Sheriff of This County.

Several cars, containing the members of the Barnard band and other Barnard citizens were in Maryville this afternoon about 2 o'clock, boosting the candidacy of their fellow townsman, Lowell Campbell for sheriff. The band gave a few selections and Clyde Perkins of Barnard spoke about Mr. Campbell and of the esteem he is held by the Barnard people.

The party will tour the entire county. Mr. Campbell has been a member of the Barnard band for a number of years and the band boys are making this trip at their own request.

Davis in Intensive Trip Thru New York City

Vincennes, Ind., Oct. 22.—John W. Davis today completed battle plans for staging the supreme effort of his presidential campaign in a drive to carry New York City.

Davis, who came here for a final sortie in Indiana, approved a program by which he will devote the entire last week of his campaign in a whirlwind tour of New York City, beginning next Saturday. The drive will last until the eve of the election.

COLLEGE WILL GET ADDITIONAL FUNDS

$10,000 IS RELEASED BY GOVERNOR HYDE.

MEANS IMPROVEMENTS

Will Be Used for Filtration Plant, Building Sewers, Constructing Sidewalks, Piping Heat, etc.

Ten thousand dollars was released today by Governor Hyde for use at the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College here, according to a telegram from William F. Phares, president of the board of regents.

A total of $140,000 for new buildings at the College was appropriated by the last session of the legislature. Of this amount, $25,000 was released immediately and was used for the power plant and alterations in the College buildings.

A few months ago, $110,000 was released for the construction of a gymnasium at the College. This still left $5,000 for new buildings to be released by the governor, which was done today.

The original appropriation for the farm and campus together was $10,000, of which $5,000 was originally released by Governor Hyde, leaving $5,000 still due the College, and this amount was also released today.

In letting the contract for the new gymnasium, it provided that the College should bring the water to the building and construct the necessary sewers. The contract merely covered the cost of the building itself and did not include supplying the water or taking the sewage away. A filtration plant was not put in the building and this will probably cost about $2,000. The room is available but the machinery has not been purchased.

The College may be able to bring the heat from the central heating plant. The contract provides for operating the heat unit in the new gymnasium. It is thought that the $5,000 might cover these items.

Some new walks will have to be built to and around the new gymnasium and it will be necessary to do considerable grading. It is thought the additional $5,000 will take care of this.

This means that the $10,000 released by Governor Hyde today will be used for the filtration plant, getting water to the gymnasium and the sewage away, building walks around the new building, and probably bringing the heat from the main building.

Tory Victory Conceded in Coming Election

But Liberals Contend That Government Will Be Minority One, Especially In House Of Commons.

London, Oct. 22.—Victory for the Tory party in the forthcoming general election was conceded today by the Liberal party's headquarters.

It is claimed, however, that the Tory government will be a minority one, dependent for its success in the House of Commons for support of the Liberal party.

La Follette in Plea to American Labor

Should Elect Progressive Ticket "In Order to Get Fair Deal," Independent Candidate Says.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 22.—Urging American labor to elect the progressive ticket "in order to secure a fair deal from the government," Senator Robert M. LaFollette, independent presidential candidate, came to Peoria today to wind up his short speaking tour in Illinois.

LaFollette tomorrow will invade Michigan with an address at Grand Rapids.

KLAN OFFICER SAYS NELSON IS NOT IN

"NOT NOW AND NEVER HAS BEEN," HE DECLARES.

CATHOLIC CLEARS HIM

Member of Boonville Knights of Columbus Also States That Candidate Didn't Join Hooded Order.

Tipton, Mo., Oct. 22.—In a formal statement issued here this afternoon, Turner Woods, who said he was an official of the local klavern of the Ku Klux Klan, declared that Dr. Arthur W. Nelson is not now and never has been a member of the Klan.

"His name is not on the roster," Woods said, "and if he had joined in California, Mo., his name would have been in this lodge."

Woods said his position in the Klan corresponds to that of secretary of the organization.

California, Mo., Oct. 22.—C. S. Burns, who signed an affidavit swearing that he saw Dr. Arthur W. Nelson initiated as a member of the Ku Klux Klan here in June, 1923, is a tenant farmer, living one mile west of here. He has lived in Morgan County for many years.

Today Burns refused to go into details not covered by his affidavit.

"The affidavit speaks for itself," he said. "I have said enough."

Burns and all other members of his family have been life-long Republicans.

St. Louis, Oct. 22.—"I have given out only those affidavits made public several days ago and I have no other affidavits bearing on the reputed membership of Dr. Nelson in the Ku Klux Klan to give out at this time," W. F. Phares, chairman of the Republican state committee, said here today in replying to newspaper stories that he would make public additional affidavits bearing on the case.

Phares denied that he had at any time made the statement attributed to him by St. Louis and Kansas City newspapers that he had additional affidavits "up his sleeve" at this time.

St. Louis, Oct. 22.—An affidavit by a Roman Catholic who attended the Ku Klux Klan meeting in California, Mo., and stating that Dr. Arthur W. Nelson, Democratic candidate for governor of Missouri, was at the meeting but did not take the oath of membership, was brought to St. Louis today by R. Perry Spencer, Democratic member of the state tax commission.

The affidavit is signed by Leo Felton, a member of the Knights of Columbus at Boonville.

Much Enthusiasm at Women's Meetings

Democratic Clubs Organized At Parnell, Ravenwood and Burlington Junction Yesterday.

Much enthusiasm is being shown by the Democratic women of Nodaway County in the organization of Davis-Bryan-Nelson clubs in every community.

Yesterday, Mrs. J. J. Heifner went to Parnell to organize a club. A number of women were present at the meeting there. Mrs. George Wilson was elected president, Mrs. Ray O'Grady, vice-president, and Mrs. Lewis, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Heifner also organized a Davis-Bryan-Nelson club at Ravenwood yesterday afternoon and a number of women were present for the organization. Miss Nellie Sims was elected president, Miss Blanche Fryar, vice-president and Miss Elizabeth Flynn, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. C. P. Fryer, Mrs. James Hiett, Mrs. Bess Thorp and Mrs. L. H. Brownfield went to Burlington Junction yesterday afternoon and organized a club there. They report a very enthusiastic meeting. Miss Marie Faust was elected president of the organization there, Mrs. D. B. Warren was chosen vice-president, Miss Hann, secretary, and Mrs. Thomas Farrell, treasurer.

Announce Birth of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor, living northeast of Maryville, announce the birth of a daughter Tuesday evening at St. Francis hospital.

WEATHER FORECAST

Fair tonight and Thursday; rising temperature.

October Dollar Sale

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Read this great list of October Dollar Bargains and take advantage of the many real values offered in this month's Dollar Sale.

4 BATH TOWELS — $1
Here is a real bargain in a good large size bath towel, heavy weight very special for this sale, 4 for only

A. C. A. TICKING— $1
The very finest quality bed ticking, the kind that will hold feathers, will be 3 yards for only

6 PAIR STOCKINGS— $1
Good quality children's stockings, all sizes, black only, will be 6 pair for only

MIDDY TWILL— $1
36 inch pure white middy twill, excellent quality, a real bargain now at 4 yards for only

WOOL MIDDIES $1
Our famous Jack Tar all wool middies in navy, green, red or black, will be exactly ½ price. For every $2.00 worth of middies you will get off

ROYAL SOCIETY PACKAGES $1
One lot of Royal Society embroidery packages, discontinued numbers; these packages are worth from 50c to $1.50, will be closed out now at 4 for only

CREPE DE CHINE— $1
Our very finest quality 40 inch crepe de chine in any color you could desire, now $1.50 per yard or two-thirds yard for

45c NAINSOOK— $1
Our regular 45c nainsook, this is a beautiful quality and a real bargain during this sale, 3 yards for only

10 BALLS KLOSTERSILK— $1
This is the very finest mercerized crochet cotton, white and boilproof colors, during this sale 10 balls for only

SILK PONGEE— $1
33 inches wide, pure silk, extra heavy quality Japanese pongee, only, per yard

HANDKERCHIEFS— $1
Here is a real bargain in ladies' absolutely all linen handkerchiefs in white or with colored borders, hemstitched, 10 for only

TOILET SOAPS— $1
5 cakes of the famous toilet soaps, such as Woodbury's, Resinol, Cuticura, Packer's Tar, etc., will be only

CLOAKS $1
Buy a new cloak during this sale and save 10 per cent. For every $10 you spend for a new cloak during this Dollar Sale you will get off

DRESSES $1
During this sale all dresses will be sold at a discount of 10 per cent. For every $10 you invest in a dress during this Sale you will get off....

DIMITY BLOUSES $1
We have just received another large shipment of those beautiful cotton over-blouses, all sizes, very special at each only

TOOTH PASTE $1
6 tubes of the famous Colgate's tooth paste, large size, will be only

4 PAIR LISLE HOSE— $1
4 pair of ladies' lisle hose in either regular or outsize, will be only

3 TOOTH BRUSHES— $1
3 of the famous Prophylactic or Rubberset tooth brushes will be only

CURTAIN MATERIAL—All curtain material, including nets, cretonnes, and draperies, will be 20% off. (This means for every $5 you spend for curtain material you will get off $1

MESSALINE— $1
36 inch messaline, most any color that you could desire, excellent quality will be $1.50 per yard or two-thirds yard for

CARMEN HAIRNETS— $1
It is impossible for you to buy a better hairnet than the Carmen. During this sale either double or single mesh nets will be 10 for only

LADIES' BLOOMERS— $1
Ladies' fine mercerized bloomers with invisible stripe, a real bargain now in most any color that you could desire, per pair only

LADIES' SILK HOSE— $1
One lot of our famous Pigeon pure silk hose, regular $1.50 quality, will be closed out during this sale at per pair only

TALCUM POWDER— $1
Doris Rose Talcum powder in either white or flesh, comes in beautiful glass bottles, regular 50c size, 3 bottles for only

40 INCH MUSLIN— $1
A very fine unbleached muslin, 40 inches wide, two widths make a full width sheet, very special now, 6 yards for only

COLORED BORDERED DAMASK— $1
68 inch mercerized table damask with a wide colored border, in either pink or blue, now 1½ yds, only

72 INCH DAMASK— $1
Here is a real bargain in the very finest all linen table damask, worth $4.50 per yard, during this Sale, one-third yard for only

HANDBAGS— $1
Buy a new handbag during this Sale and save ¼. For every $4.00 you spend for a new handbag you will get off

TABLE CLOTHS $1
Here is a real bargain in 54 inch mercerized table cloth, either square hemstitched, or round scalloped, edges, each only

PLAID WOOL GOODS— $1
36 inches wide, excellent quality, half wool washable plaid goods for children's school dresses, a real bargain now, 2 yards for only

6 YARDS PERCALE— $1
6 yards percale, that very fine quality, in all the new Fall colors, in a large assortment to select from, 6 yards for only

5 YARDS DRESS GINGHAM $1
32 inch excellent quality dress gingham, a large collection of new patterns to select from, regular 39c quality, will be 5 yards for only

ALL WOOL CHARMEEN— $1
54 inches wide, this beautiful fine twill, all wool material which is so popular just now, will be one-third yard for

HUCK TOWELS $1
18x36 inch size, excellent quality huck face towels, all white, very special at 10 towels for only

MECCA SUITING $1
This beautiful 36 inch basket weave Mecca Suiting, regular 69c quality in all the plain colors, will be 3 yards for only

BABY GOODS $1
A large assortment of baby goods slightly mussed from handling and are worth many times the price we ask in this sale, 25c per garment, or 4 for

Haines
The Biggest Little Store in the United States.

COMFORT CHALLIES $1
36 inch Comfort Challies in a large range of patterns to select from in the very best quality, now 5 yards for only

BABY GOODS $1
Another lot of baby goods consisting of baby cloaks and finer dresses, etc., will be closed out at 50c each or 2 for

FANCY WOOL DRESS GOODS $1
One big lot of fancy wool dress goods 54 inches wide, worth up to $5.00 and $6.00 per yard, the last season's patterns, will be closed out at $2.00 per yard or ½ yard for

TABLE DAMASK $1
64 inch pure white table damask, extra heavy quality, 2½ yards for

LADIES' PRINCESS SLIPS $1
Ladies' princess slips in either black or white, excellent quality of sateen, a real bargain now at each only

2 PAIR CHILDREN'S HOSE $1
Very finest mercerized derby ribbed, children's hose, regular 75c quality, 2 pair for only

4 PAIR CHILDREN'S HOSE $1
Here is a real bargain in a child's fine mercerized hose in black or brown, all sizes 4 pair for only

CORSETS $1
Here is a real bargain in corsets, beautiful brocaded flesh colored material, low bust, latest style, now, each only

ALL WOOL SERGE $1
36 inch absolutely all wool serge in black, navy, red, green and brown, only 66 2-3c per yard or 1½ yards for

54 INCH ALL WOOL JERSEY $1
This beautiful quality all wool jersey, 54 inches wide, in all the new fall colors, now only ½ yard for

SATIN DE CHINE $1
36 inch heavy satin material, excellent quality for bloomers, linings, etc., all colors, 2-3 yard for only

BRASSIERES $1
Ladies' brassieres, all sizes 34 to 44, basket weave material, back fastening, now 4 for

27 INCH WHITE OUTING $1
An excellent quality of 27 inch white outing flannel will be 5 yards for only

27 INCH COLORED OUTING $1
27 inch light colored outing flannel in neat pink and blue stripes in light weight quality during this Dollar Sale will be 10 yards for

36 INCH COLORED OUTING $1
This excellent quality of 36 inch outing flannel in a large range of light and dark colors, a real bargain now at 5 yards for only

WIDE SHEETING $1
Buy wide sheetings now and save money. These prices include our famous Wearwell and Pepperell brands, bleached or unbleached.
8-4 width, 2½ yards only
9-4 width, 2¼ yards only
10-4 width, 2 yards only

UNDERWEAR VOILE— $1
This is a beautiful shadow checked material in lace effect, a wonderful cloth for all kinds of underwear in flesh, orchid or Peach, very special now, 2 yds for only

SATEEN— $1
The very finest quality of sateen 36 inches wide, any color that you could desire, very special for these three Days Selling, 2½ yards for only

MIRROLINE $1
This is a beautiful 36 inch satin faced cotton material, all colors, specially adapted for slips, bloomers, etc., during this sale will be only 75c per yard or 1⅓ yards for

BEDSPREADS— $1
Save 20 per cent and buy a new bedspread during this great Dollar Sale. For every $5.00 you spend for a new bedspread you will get off

SILK UNDERWEAR— $1
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Here is a real bargain in the famous "Dove" brand of ladies night gowns, made of beautiful quality nainsook in a large assortment of styles to select from at each only

MULSIFIED COCOANUT OIL— $1
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The very best spool 6-cord cotton thread, 150 yard spools, will be 4c per spool or 25 spools for

36 INCH NAINSOOK— $1
An excellent quality 36 inch soft finished nainsook, very special for these 3 days sale, 5 yards for only

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This is the very finest quality of French serge on the market, 54 inches wide, this is a real bargain now, in all the staple colors, ½ yard for only

DAISY MUSLIN $1
This is the very finest quality full bleached muslin on the market, during this sale will be 6 yards for only

ALL LINEN CRASH $1
Unbleached crash toweling, absolutely all linen with colored border, will be 6 yards for only

CREPE BACK SATIN $1
This beautiful popular material, 40 inches wide, all silk, in all the staple Fall colors, will be 1-3 yard for only

5 YARDS SHIRTING $1
Very fine quality cheviot shirting in plain blue or gray, will be 5 yards for only

UNBLEACHED MUSLIN $1
An excellent quality of unbleached muslin 36 inches wide, 12½c per yard or 8 yards for

3 lb COTTON BATT $1
Large size cotton batt, all stitched, preventing it from pulling apart, opens up into one large sheet 72x90 inches, full 3 pounds, each only

CANTON CREPE $1
40 inch Canton Crepe, the very best quality on the market in most any color you could desire, an extra special now only $3.00 per yard or 1-3 yard for

SWEATERS $1
Your choice of any of the new Fall sweaters during this Sale at 20 per cent off. We have an immense assortment of all the new styles. For every $5.00 you spend for a new sweater you will get off

JAPANESE CREPE $1
Japanese crepe in plain colors, 33 inches wide, in most any color you could desire during this sale, 4 yards for only

4 YARDS ROMPER CLOTH $1
4 yards of our famous Romper Cloth which is used so extensively for children's clothes will be 4 yards for

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY.

PRIVILEGE ROBBERY.

(St. Louis Post-Dispatch.)

In one of his speeches John W. Davis summed up briefly and clearly the wrong embodied in the granting of privilege through special legislation which discriminates in favor of one set of men against others in the country. He said:

"To pervert high office to personal gain is an offense detested by all honest men; but to use the power of legislation purposely to enrich one man or set of men at the expense of others is robbery on a larger scale, though done under the forms of law."

The soundness of Mr. Davis' statement is illustrated by the facts brought out in connection with the aluminum trust, in which Secretary of the Treasury Mellon and his family hold a controlling interest. Mr. Mellon is one of the richest men in America, and probably the most influential man in the cabinet. He is the economic adviser of the administration. The Fordney-McCumber tariff act increased the tariff on aluminum 250 per cent. Under this tariff the price of aluminum rose from 21 cents in 1922 to 28 cents in 1924. The aluminum trust paid enormous dividends, and piled up an enormous surplus. These dividends and the surplus were taken out of the pockets of the consumers of America—taken from the modest earnings of the heads of families for the benefit of the rich and powerful.

Mr. Mellon did not take money as Secretary Fall did for betraying the people by concessions to special interests, but he profited far beyond Mr. Fall by favors granted his aluminum company in tariff legislation passed while he was secretary of the treasury. As Mr. Davis says, it was none the less robbery because it was done in the form of law.

"The national parks, announces the interior department, drew 1,600,000 visitors this year. Must be some mistake. The parks drew that many long before the world series started." — Kansas City Times.

LARGE CROWD TO HEAR H. H. HALLEY

GIVES COURSE OF BIBLE INSTRUCTION.

EVERY BOOK REVIEWED

To Give Another Lesson on Prophets Tonight—Afternoon Services Thursday and Friday.

Another large crowd heard the Rev. H. H. Halley's Bible recital at the Christian Church last night. Mr. Halley prefaces his recitals with explanatory remarks which make clear the purpose of the Scriptures which he reefes. This is one of the most complete courses of Bible instruction which has ever been presented here and especially in so brief a time as the two weeks which Mr. Halley will spend in Maryville. The lesson last night was taken from the four prophets, Isaiah, Micah, Habakuk and Ezekial. All who heard the lecture last night will want to read these books of the Bible more and will no doubt have a clearer understanding of the reading.

"The greatest event in the history of mankind was the appearance of Jesus," said the Rev. Mr. Halley last night. "God would not send His son until he had made preparation for His coming. This will explain in part, at least, why His coming was so long delayed.

"God has done everything in His power to help our faith. The prophetical books tell us of the coming of Jesus and many of the details of that great event were given in detail by these phophets hundreds of years before they actually came to pass. I am here to declare that the whole prophetic message is predictive in spite of the fact that so much of modern scholarship is trying to take that out of the prophecies."

"The great historical event that gave rise to the work of the prophets was the division of the tribes of Israel and the acceptance of the golden calf as their god, the worship of Egypt, on the part of ten of those tribes. God's own nation that was to establish the fact that there is but one true God, had gone into idolatry. The prophets work was to call this nation back to the one true worship."

Tonight Mr. Halley will give another lesson on the prophets. He is also announcing afternoon services on Thursday and Friday of this week that he may have time for two more lessons on the Prophets. On Thursday and Friday nights of this week he will give the Life of Christ. He is asking all to be sure and attend these two nights and particularly on Friday night when he shall recite the story of the last week of the Master.

A large number are driving in to the services from over the County and Mr. Snodgrass is anxious that all in the County may know of this great opportunity to become better acquainted with the Bible, from one who knows more of it, no doubt than any living man. Services every night begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

Harmony

Church Notes.

Our new Sunday School Bulletin board showed a total of 85 in attendance last Sunday. It makes a handsome addition to the furniture of the room.

Practice is going on regularly for a Rally Day program in the S. S. to be given in the near future.

At the morning service the pastor announced the First Quarterly Conference for Saturday evening, October 25. The president of the Conference, Rev. C. J. Nutt of Des Moines will conduct the conference and preach at the morning and evening service the next day. The pastor asked for a full attendance at these meetings.

Regular choir rehearsal next Friday evening.

The ladies of the church will hold an all day meeting at the church next Wednesday. The men of the neighborhood will eat their dinner from the heads of an old salt barrel in the woodshed that day.

The ladies had a very successful day at the Elmer McKee sale serving lunch. The proceeds were $57.00 and will clear about $40.00.

Personals.

Robert Adams and family of Skidmore former resident of this neighborhood were visiting friends here last Sunday.

Mrs. John Green was called Saturday to Des Moines by the illness of her monther, who is visiting her son, Rev. Max Du Weese, who has charge of one of the Christian churches of that city.

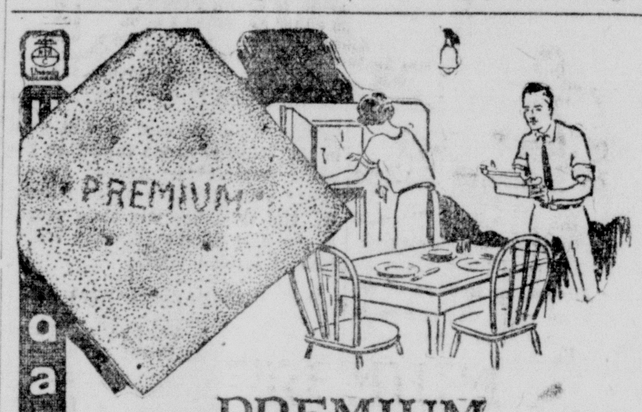
R. V. McKee and family were visiting in both Ravenwood and Maryville last Saturday.

Edgar Flanary lost his barn by fire about 4 p. m. Saturday afternoon. The cause of the fire is unknown. Scarcely any of the contents were saved and Edgar will suffer the loss of his winter's feed. It is understood that insurance will partly cover the property damage.

Ed Mann of Maryville will assume charge of the Orrsburg central Monday, October 20. Mrs. Blakeman, who has been telephone operator for several years, will move to Ridgeway.

Quite a number from around here attended the political speaking at Ravenwood Saturday afternoon. Candidates for the county offices were present as well as Congressman Faust, who made the principal talk. The music was furnished by an aggregation of Maryville musicians.

G. H. Null and family were Sunday guests at the home of G. B. Harbison.



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In packages, family size containers or by the pound, at your grocer's.

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Solomon Loffer Dies at Home Near Graham

Civil War Veteran and Pioneer Resident Succumbs This Morning—Funeral Service Friday.

Solomon Loffer, 90 years old, an old resident of Hughes township, died at 5:30 o'clock this morning at his home, two miles south of Graham.

Mr. Loffer is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lillie Glenn, who had made her home with her father since last spring; and Mrs. Della Betz, whose address is unknown; and three sons, Dr. J. F. Loffer, Graham; Dr. F. F. Loffer and Lou Loffer, both of Imperial, Cal. Mrs. Loffer died January 1, 1916. Mr. Loffer was a Civil War veteran. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon but other arrangements have not been completed.

Society

Graves-Hurst.

The marriage of Miss Lola Graves of Elmo and Floyd Hurst of Burlington Junction took place at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon in the study of the Christian Church in Maryville, the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass officiating. The couple was accompanied by the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. L. E. Walalce, and Dr. Wallace, of Burlington Junction. Mr. and Mrs. Hurst will be at home on a farm near Burlington Junction.

Brown-Kelley.

Miss Vera Berniece Brown, only laughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Brown, and Orville Dean Kelley were married at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride, west of Orrsburg. The Rev. R. Underwood, pastor of the Harmony church, officated. Mr. Kelley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Kelley, living near Orrsburg.

Claims La Follette Is Aided by Soviet

T. V. O'Connor, Chairman of U. S. Shipping Board, Testifies Before Borah Investigating Committee.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Chairman T. V. O'Connor of the United States Shipping Board expressed the belief this afternoon before the Borah investigating committee that funds from soviet Russia were being received in this country to aid the presidential candidacy of Senator Robert M. LaFollette.

Clearmont Students Visit Weather Bureau

Twelve students of the Clearmont High School with W. H. Burr, superintendent, visited the weather bureau at St. Joseph yesterday. The purpose of the visit was to inspect the instruments. W. S. Belden, meteorologist, at the St. Joseph weather bureau, explained the use of the various weather instruments to the pupils.

Small Fire at Home of Dr. C. S. Jackson

Oil leaking out of the furnace and onto the floor of the basement caused a small fire at the home of Dr. C. S. Jackson, 611 West Third street, about 6:45 o'clock this morning. The fire department responded promptly to the call and no damage was done to the house or contents.

Shenandoah Leaves San Diego Today

San Diego, Oct. 22.—The navy dirigible Shenandoah left here at 11:20 o'clock Pacific time this morning for Fort Worth, Tex., here next stopping place on the return trip to Lakehurst N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Force and Mr. and Mrs. O'Banion of Parnell spent today with Mr. Force's sisters, Miss Force and Mrs. Ethel Luther of Arkoe.

Burlington Junction Woman Dies This A. M.

Mrs. Frank Cole Succumbs At Hospital in St. Joseph—Underwent Operation.

Mrs. Frank Cole of Burlington Junction died at 1:20 o'clock this morning at the Missouri Methodist Hospital in St. Joseph where she underwent an operation for appendicitis four weeks ago. Her condition had been satisfactory until a sudden relapse as preparations were being made to remove her to her home, three miles south of Burlington Junction. The body, accompanied by Mr. Cole, a son, Frank Cole, and two laughters, Mrs. Bruce Miller of Benkelman, Nebr., and Mrs. Will Allen of Graham, will arrive in Burlington Junction this evening. No funeral arrangements have been made.

Other children who survive are Misses Etta and Maggie Cole, at home; Ed Cole, Graham; Marshall and Clarence Cole, living near Bolckow; and Cyrus Cole of Burlington Junction.

Mrs. Cole was 64 years old and was born in Ohio. She had been a resident of Nodaway county since her marriage to Mr. Cole forty-five years ago, and their home has been in the northwestern part of the county during that time. Three brothers and two sisters also survive.

JUST ARRIVED.

Car each Illinois washed nut, $6.50 to $7.00; Franklin County Illinois nut $8 to $8.50 per ton. Wm. Everhart.

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MADE IN FIVE GRADES
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We have fall and winter underwear in all weights and with all combinations of leg and sleeve lengths.

Montgomery-Cummins Clothing Company
"Get To Know Us"

Partition Sale

The Benjamin Howard farm of 160 acres, situated four miles north of Burlington station at Maryville, will be sold at partition sale at court house in Maryville, Mo., on Saturday, November 1, 1924, at 1:30 p. m.

STEVE A. ROACH,
Sheriff and Special Commissioner.

Detroit AND THE EAST

Two splendid Wabash trains leave Dearborn Station, Chicago, daily for Detroit, Buffalo and New York at

10:30 a. m. and 11:25 p. m.

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If you are planning a trip anywhere east ask your Ticket Agent for information, reservations and tickets or write

H. E. WATTS,
Passenger Traffic Manager, St. Louis

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In the Same Mail===

Insurance Check and Stock Promotion

A WIDOW, a baby and an insurance policy for $20,000 remained after his accident.

The insurance check came promptly—in the same mail with the stock circular of a promotion company. The stock salesman, who came two days later, seemed a long lost friend to the widow.

Well—that was eighteen months ago. Today the baby and the widow are penniless.

If he had made this institution trustee for the principal of the policy, his wife would have $100 a month permanently. The arrangement is simple and sure.

How about your insurance?

Farmers Trust Company

Maryville's Bank of Personal Service

Sports

TIGERS ARE BIG THREAT IN VALLEY

HAVE WON THREE GAMES AND NOT SCORED ON.

KANSAS AGGIES NEXT

Columbia Team An Aggregation of No Outstanding Stars—Sophomores Show Good Form.

The Missouri Tigers of 1924, under the tutelage of head coach, Gwinn Henry, Major C. A. Baehr, Harry Kipke, Allen Lincoln, and others, are now the biggest threat in the race for the Missouri Valley football laurels. Building up a team of last year letter men, with the aid of a number of freshmen who have come into the ranks this year, Coach Henry has a team that is feared far more and given credit for more latent power than was developed in 1923.

The Tigers have played three games, one in the Valley, and, in addition to winning all contests, have set up a record of no scores by their opponents.

By holding Chicago at bay to win 3-0 two weeks ago, by defeating Missouri Wesleyan 14-0 and Ames 7-0 in succeeding games, the Tigers have rolled up a total of twenty-four points to their opponents' nothing.

Saturday the Tigers' strength will again be tested in a contest with the Kansas Aggies. With Oklahoma and Nebraska following in succession, there will be ample chance to prove to ardent fans the contentions of championship material in the Tigers.

In the game with Ames Saturday there were no outstanding Tiger stars. For Ames the Behm brothers and Roberts showed up well in the backfield, while the line worked evenly as a unit.

The Tigers assumed the defensive from the start and awaited their opening, while Ames immediately started an offensive drive of desperate charging. The Missouri eleven played largely to prevent an aerial attack and was therefore less impregnable against line rushes. The ends played out and slightly back during most of the game. The Iowa men, however, were not successful with their ground attack, the Tigers stiffening at crucial moments and forcing Roberts to punt.

Bond, Thomas, Moulder and Whiteman in the backfield made outstanding plays during the game. It was Thomas who made a 25 yard run, only to be called back because a man had been offside.

Says Bunk Used His Head and Gave Safety

Two Points on Intentional Safety Saved Maryville the Game Saturday With Lafayette.

The St. Joseph Gazette sport writer in "The Jist and Jest of It," has the following to say about Bunk Miller in the game with Lafayette Hi last Saturday in which the Spoofhounds defeated the Murphy men 12 to 9:

In last Saturday's game between Maryville and Lafayette, Miller, quarterback for Maryville, showed good judgment in giving Lafayette an intentional safety and sacrificed the two points rather than kick from behind his own goal line and risk the kick being blocked and possible recovery by Lafayette for a touchdown, which at that time would have won the game. The score was such that a touchdown would have beaten them and with only a few minutes to play Maryville could still retain possession of the ball. Like all football players there is a time and a place for them. Last year on Thanksgiving day at League park the Maryville team did the same thing, but the time of the game and the conditions were different and Maysville finally won from them by a two-point margin.

Try This For
NEURITIS

"Neuritis may be localized in a single nerve or may be general, involving a large number of nerves."

For quick and lasting relief pharmacists have fore the past few months dispensed Joint-Ease—a quick penetrating remedy that, when rubbed over the affected parts for about one minute, soaks right in so that not a trace is left on the skin.

Joint-Ease is for limbering up stiff joints, reducing the swelling and causing the pain to disappear, and for this purpose thousands of tubes are sold daily—60 cents at any live druggist anywhere.

Mail orders filled, cash or C. O. D., Pope Laboratories, Hallowell, Maine.

"Victory" Dinner at Country Club Monday

To Be Given By "Raines Rowdies"—Chamber of Commerce Dinner Is Postponed on This Account.

The Chamber of Commerce dinner scheduled for 6:30 o'clock next Monday night at the Bainum Hotel has been postponed on account of the "victory" dinner to be held at the Country-Clubhouse at that time. This dinner will be given by the "Raines Rowdies" in honor of the "Lamkin Highbrows" who won the golf tournament completed Monday night.

If they arrive in time, the tournament cups will be presented by the president of the club to the winners of the last tournament. Any member of the club who wishes to attend the banquet who did not play in the tournament, may do so by paying the dollar and notifying either H. L. Raines or Uel W. Lamkin. According to rumors the members on the losing team are to give evidence of their defeat by serving their temporary golfing superiors.

Friday Bearcats to Taste for 1st Time Kansas Blood

The Bearcats will get their first taste of Kansas State gridiron teams when they oppose Highland College in a non-conference clash Friday afternoon on the local field. The game is scheduled to start at 2:30 o'clock.

C. E. McBride, sports editor of the Kansas City Star, will officiate as referee of the game and Butler of the University of Minnesota, will umpire the game.

The Bearcat workouts this week have been stiff and hard. The team is in fine shape for a tough game is the comment of the two coaches of the local teams and will be on the go until the final whistle.

E. R. Zemke Indicted by the Grand Jury

Was Arrested Today on a Charge of Stealing Chickens From Geo. Baker and C. A. Hanks.

E. R. Zemke, living southeast of Maryville on a farm of Allen Bros., was arrested this afternoon by Sheriff Roach on an indictment returned by the grand jury yesterday. Zemke is charged with stealing chickens on two separate offenses from George Baker and C. A. Hanks, who live in that community.

A replevin suit was filed this morning by Baker against the Farmers Exchange of Maryville for possession of his chickens, as his chickens were bought by the Exchange, it is claimed.

Former Legion Officer Is Shot in Left Arm

Husband of His Stenographer Declares on Way to Prison, "I Wish I Had Killed Him."

Grand Rapids, Mich., Oct. 22.—Col. John G. Emery, past national commander of the American Legion, World War hero, and former candidate for United States Senator, was shot in the left arm today by Seyden Simpson, husband of one of Emery's stenographers. Emery will recover.

On his way to jail, Simpson, who is 40 years old, declared, "I wish I had killed him."

Daughter of Former Governor Is Killed

St. Louis, Oct. 22.—Donald McGovern, 22, a salesman, was being held today following the death of Miss Lillian Brown, daughter of the late B. Gratz Brown, former governor of Missouri, who was struck by an automobile driven by McGovern last night.

George Mowry Fined $15.65 for Drunkenness

George Mowry of near Elmo was fined $15.65 in police court this morning before Mayor W. O. Garrett, on a charge of drunkenness. He paid the fine and costs. Mowry was arrested yesterday by Bernard Dougan, chief of police.

Death Toll Mounts in Cruiser Explosion

Three More Persons Die Today at the Portsmouth Hospital, Bringing Total to 11—Investigation.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 22.—The death toll in the explosion aboard the U. S. Cruiser Trenton mounted higher today. Three more deaths at the naval hospital at Portsmouth this morning brought the total to eleven. Investigation of the explosion is expected to start tomorrow.

ROYAL ENGAGEMENT TO BE ANNOUNCED.

CROWN PRINCE LEOPOLD & PRINCESS MAFALDA.

According to dispatches from Rome, the engagement of Princess Mafalda, daughter of the Italian monarchs, to Crown Prince Leopold of Belgium will be officially announced on either November 4 or on November 11, the latter date being the King's birthday. At one time it was reported Princess Mafalda was desperately in love with Prince Nicholas of Roumania, now a midshipman on the British cruiser Benbow, and that she had threatened to kill herself if compelled to marry Leopold

Tarkio Man Scalded in a Steam Boiler

Is Now in the St. Francis Hospital Here In a Weak Condition, According to Report at Press Time.

Charles Allgood, an employe of the Tarkio Electric Light Co., is now in St. Francis Hospital in a very weak condition, as a result of being scalded, under a 150 pounds of steam. The accident occurred day before yesterday and Allgood was brought to the hospital yesterday morning.

It seems that Allgood, with another employe of the Tarkio Electric Light Co., were examining a steam boiler in the plant and had crawled inside. While the men were at work in the boiler someone turned on the steam pressure and Allgood was severely scalded and suffered intensely. His co-worker was close enough to the door of the boiler to escape without serious injury.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Regular V. F. W. Meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m. Be there!

Buy a Bar
MADE BY Chase's
The New Candy

Blue Band
VELVET
PENCILS
At all
Dealers
5¢

Supreme in their class.
As Smooth as Velvet.
Write for trial sample
American Lead Pencil Co., New York
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School Boys, School Girls—
HURRY UP!

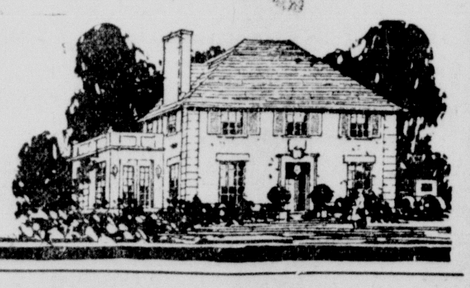
Home Lighting Contest closes October 31.

You have only a few days left in which to finish your essay and turn it in with your completed Home Lighting Primer.

Remember, somebody is going to win this $15,000.00 home or a college scholarship, and the handsome district and local prizes. Will it be you?

Get busy right now. Be a winner.
Maryville Electric Light & Power Co.

Have you seen the fine district and local prizes? They are displayed in our district office window.



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Oldest bank in the county. More than fifty years of service. Liberty Bonds bought and sold.

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Hopkins Man Accused of Robbing Postoffice

Rex Hopple Fails To Make $3,000 and Is Held In Buchanan County Jail Awaiting March Term.

Rex Hopple of Hopkins is in the county jail at St. Joseph in default of $3,000 bond, following his arraignment yesterday before United States Commissioner Richard S. Duncan at St. Joseph on charges of robing the Hopkins postoffice of $6.14.

Hopple was arrested by L. C. Wilson, deputy United States marshal, following an investigation which began October 5, when the postoffice was robbed. Hopple admits entering the postoffice but denies taking the money.

Until two years ago, he was employed at the postoffice and, according to federal officials, obtained possession of keys to the office at that time. Small sums of money have been frequently missing from the Hopkins office for the past few months, it is said.

F. D. Flora of St. Joseph, postoffice inspector, who caused the arrest, declares that Hopple has admitted that he broke into the postoffice but he was frightened away before he got any money. W. L. Moorhead is postmaster at Hopkins.

Preliminary hearing was waived by Hopple, who is being held for the March term of the federal district court.

"A hustler has no time for bad luck."—York, Neb. News-Times.

Free---BREAD---Free

Bluel's Meat Market will give one Loaf of Butter Krust Bread free with every purchase of a loaf of Butter Krust Bread made Thursday, October 23.

A pointer on tobacco:

Cut coarse for pipes—not fine

Burns slower this way—hence cooler ✓

Lasts about 50% longer

No frills-no tins-FOIL wrapper, hence 10¢

Granger Rough Cut

—made and cut exclusively for pipes

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3 Down and 5 To Go

Three times have the Bearcats met a gridiron foe this season—and three times have these foes been vanquished by scoreless defeats. The next foe——

HIGHLAND COLLEGE
OF HIGHLAND, KANS.

WILL PLAY THE

FIGHTIN' BEARCATS

These gridsters from the Jayhawk state have a formidable machine. See the Bearcats turn them back in the next of the five remaining games. It means a notch closer to the championship.

College Field Friday, Oct. 24, 2:30 P. M.

Admission 75c. Students 50c.
Car Stalls 50c. Reserved Seats 15c

RESERVATIONS AT KUCHS BROS.

SOCIETY NOTES

Mrs. Toel Hostess.

The Bi-Monthly Bridge Club was entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Toel on East Thompson street.

Issue Wedding Invitations.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence U. Philley of St. Joseph have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Myra Nan, to George Loranee Toel of Dallas, Texas, which will take place at 6:30 o'clock Saturday evening, November 1, at their home, 1915 Clay street. The bridegroom-elect is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Toel of St. Joseph, former residents of Maryville.

Hostess at Line Party.

Miss R'Delle Chick entertained at a line party last night at the Empire Theater in observance of her fourteenth birthday anniversary. Refreshments were served at the Maryville drug store after the show. Miss Edna Barnes chaperoned the party which included, in addition to the hostess, Grace Geist, Betty Brownfield, Esther McMurry and Maxine Holt.

Tourist Program.

A talk on "Feeble-minded and Delinquent Children in Public Schools" featured the October program of the tourist department of the Twentieth Century Club given yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. F. Remus on West First street. The speaker was Burt W. Loomis of the State Teachers College, who gave much instructive information on the subject. Others participating and their topics were: Mrs. Charles Lorance, "Government and Politics;" and Mrs. C. C. Hellmers, "Leading Industries of Missouri." Mrs. M. A. Peery, president of the club, was the leader of the program in the absence of the chairman.

M. I. Program.

A program on composers was given at the meeting of the Mutual Improvement Circle yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. I. E. Tulloch on West Fifth street. Mrs. J. D. England acted as chairman in the absence of both president and vice-president. Devotions were led by the hostess and composers formed the roll call responses. A paper on Beethoven, one of the greatest masters of symphonic music the world has ever known, by Mrs. Floyd Ambrose was the opening number. Mrs. Florence Westfall played Beethoven's sonata, Opus 2, No. 1, and Mrs. Tulloch, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Westfall, sang "Unto God's Day." A vocal solo, "I Want To Go Back To Missouri," was given by Mrs. Ambrose. This number was scheduled for last week's meeting when a "Missouri Day" program was presented. A round table discussion on the subject of the afternoon was conducted by Mrs. Vada Halley. Mrs. W. A. Bailey was program critic. A guest at the meeting was Mrs. W. N. Todd. The next meeting will be an autumnal fete at the home of Mrs. J. E. Melvin and will be held Wednesday, November 5, on account of election on the preceding day. Each member is permitted to bring a guest.

Hostesses at Pyramid Tea.

Mrs. Fannie Shroyer, Mrs. C. A. McCoppin and Mrs. George Pat Wright were hostesses at a pyramid tea this afternoon at the Shroyer home on West Cooper street when their guests included the members of the Dorcas Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church. The afternoon was spent socially and refreshments were served. These guests were invited: Mrs. Emma Booth, Mrs. A. Marsh, Mrs. Sarah Crosby, Mrs. J. W. Airy, Mrs. Hannah Slates, Mrs. Amelia Outs, Mrs. Catherine Miller, Mrs. Mary Hook, Mrs. G. H. Wamsley, Mrs. M. J. Willhoyte, Mrs. R. J. Pettigrew, Mrs. John Haist, Mrs. J. E. O'Neal, Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mrs. Rosanna Stauble, Mrs. Murray, Mrs. Levi Smith, Mrs. J. W. Shipps, Mrs. E. J. Kissinger, Mrs. Mary Herren, Mrs. J. W. Thompson, Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs J. T. Linville, Mrs. J. B. Matteson, Mrs. Mary Lambert, Mrs. F. J. Heaton, Mrs. Ager and Mrs. N. J. Walbridge.

Westminster Guild.

Fifteen members attended the meeting of the Westminster Guild at the home of Miss May Anthony on East North avenue last night. Mrs. Roy Curfman was the assisting hostess. The devotions were led by Mrs. C. P. Fryer and Mrs. S. P. Allison was the leader of the program. The study of the new text book, "China's Real Revolution" was started.

The Guild voted to provide $100 toward the completion of a room in the Margaret Chambers Hall on Presbyterian Hill at Hollister, Mo. A gift of $50 which was left to the Guild by the late Mrs. Eugene M. Schenck will be applied to the fund and the name plate on the door of room will contain her name. The building is to be the summer home for returned missionaries, ministers and their families and especially for young peoples' conferences. When completed it will have fifty-five rooms.

The hostesses served refreshments at the close of the evening. Guests at the meeting were Mrs. L. H. Brownfield, Mrs. Rolf Raynor and Miss Hettie M. Anthony. Mrs. Emery Airy will be hostess at the next meeting on Monday night, November 3.

Hear Farrar in "Carmen."

Geraldine Farrar, soprano, appeared in "Carmen" last night at the Lyceum Theater in St. Joseph. Among the Maryville persons who attended the performance were Mrs. M. A. Peery, Miss Louise Peery, Miss Marian Gilluly, Mrs. C. F. Remus, Miss Catherine Remus, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cummins and the latter's sister, Mrs. Carl Marxer of Des Moines, Ia.; Earl O'Day, Miss Betty Turner, Misses Viva and Marie Cloud, Misses Martha and Verna Kennedy, Miss Nora Ritze, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Chilton Robinson, Miss Anna Crane, Miss Laveta McClanahan, Miss Virginia Robinson, Mrs. W. W. Randall, Miss Norma Randall, Miss Lucille Airy, Miss Thelma Reece, Miss Lucile Gaugh, William Gaugh, and Charles R. Gardner.

Evacuation of Ruhr Begins in Earnest

French Forces Leave Dortmund Garrison—French and German Flags Are Flown.

Dortmund, Germany, Oct. 22.—Evacuation of the Ruhr by French troops got under way today in earnest when they departed from here. French and German flags were flown as the garrison forces began leaving at 10 o'clock this morning. There was neither cheering or hissing.

India Points Way to Peace Among Nations

Dr. Stanley Jones, Methodist Missionary, Tells of Gandhi and His Principles of Leadership.

Kansas City, Oct. 22.—Bringing his message from Gandhi, leader of India, Dr. Stanley Jones, Methodist missionary, told the Methodist men's convention here today that through "application of religious truths to politics lies the real way to peace among the nations of the world."

Dr. Jones, a personal friend of Gandhi, described him as having the largest personal following of anyone in the world today.

"Christians in America," Dr. Jones declared, "should study carefully the non-violence program now going on in India and interpret its message to the Christian world. This investigation will disclose the fact that the avenues of peace on earth will be found in the methods now adopted in India and not through those generally suggested in Europe and America."

Committees for P.-T. Assn. are Appointed

A meeting was held last night at the home of Mrs. Roland Wray, president of the Maryville Parent-Teacher Association, for the purpose of naming committees for the ensuing year. Mrs. Wray, assisted by Miss Laura Hawkins and Mrs. F. L. Curfman, members of the mutual help committee, appointed the following committees:

Program—Mrs. F. A. Bush, chairman; Mrs. H. H. Kerr, Mrs. H. C. Todd, Mrs. Earl Henderson and L. E. Ziegler, superintendent of the Maryville public schools; social—Mrs. W. A. Miller, chairman; Mrs. Irvin Bartram, Mrs. Lula Fraser and Mrs. I. J. Phipps; publicity—Mrs. I. E. Tulloch, chairman; Mrs. R. E. Thomas and Mrs. James Hantze; and membership — Mrs. C. C. Hellmers, chairman; Mrs. T. H. Leet and Mrs. Howard Wray.

168 Acre Farm Sold Today for $31,000

The 168 acre farm of George Fred Davis, located four miles southeast of Maryville, has been sold to George B. Mulholland for $31,000. Mr. Davis purchased the Malotte farm, adjoining his old farm, and containing 70 acres for $8,750. Possession will be given March 1. Both deals were made by Hugh Strong.

Marriage License.

A marriage license was issued yesterday afternoon to Orville D. Kelley and Vera B. Brown, both of Parnell.

A marriage license has been issued in Clarinda, Ia., to Vilas R. Kinman, and Orpha L. Ecker, both of Elmo.

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A Box Supper and program will be given at the Gray Grove school, 7 miles northeast of Burlington Junction on
FRIDAY NIGHT, OCT. 24.
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BOX AND PIE SUPPER WITH PROGRAM
at Swallow School
FRIDAY EVE, OCT. 24
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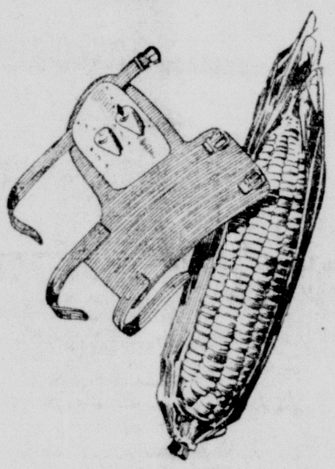

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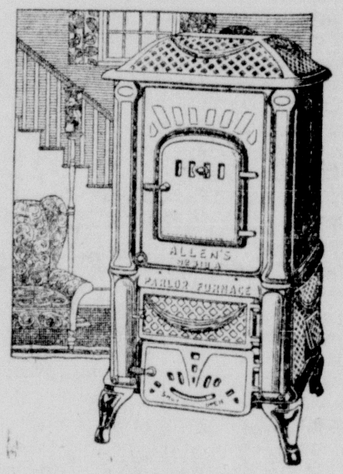

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NELSON WAS AT KLAN MEETING

SAYS HE NEVER HAS JOINED IT, NEVER PAID FEES OR DUES.

NO INITIATION SERVICE

While Nelson Was at the Meeting—Says Curiosity Took Him to Meeting.

Waynesville, Mo., Oct. 22. — C. S. Burns, whose affidavit alleging Dr. A. W. Nelson, Democratic candidate for governor, had been initiated into the Ku Klux Klan, "either is honestly mistaken or is maliciously making a misstatement," Dr. Nelson declared here yesterday.

Dr. Nelson's reply to the two affidavits made public Monday by W. F. Phares, Republican state chairman, was given at the home of S. T. Rolins, where the candidate was resting before a speech here.

In his statement Dr. Nelson admitted he had attended a klan gathering at California, Mo., where the Burns affidavit alleged, Dr. Nelson had been initiated. The candidate said he saw there "a Mr. Burns, who, I suppose, is the man making the affidavit."

Dr. Nelson said, however, his presence at the meeting was prompted only by curiosity—that he wanted to see what such a thing was like.

The Nelson Statement.

The text of Dr. Arthur W. Nelson's statement follows:

"My attention has been called to statements purporting to have been signed and sworn to by B. L. Morris, F. A. Collins and C. S. Burns, alleging that I am, to their knowledge, a member of the Ku Klux Klan.

"These affidavits are the culmination of a whispering campaign which has been conducted under the direction of the Republican state committee for several weeks and of which, because of its character, I have refused to take notice.

"Since these whispering allegations have been put into the form of affidavits I will recite the facts to show from just what flimsy material the entire story has been concocted.

"Mr. Burns, in his statement, says he saw me initiated into the klan at California, Mo., and that he saw me and shook hands with me on that occasion: I saw a Mr. Burns, who, I suppose, is the man making the affidavit, on an occasion when I was curious and interested spectator at a klan gathering at California. As to his statement that he saw me initiated, he either is honestly mistaken or is maliciously making a misstatement.

"I was in California with a friend on business. As evening approached we noticed the town was filling up with people, and upon inquiry found that there was to be a klan gathering near town. I expressed a desire to see what such a thing was like, and my friend made inquiry to learn if we could be onlookers.

Signed a Card.

"He returned with two men, who had cards and who said they would admit us to the meeting if we signed them. The cards contained some sort of declaration of principles, but there was nothing to indicate that they were applications for membership in the klan. I signed one of the cards and with hundreds of others attended the meeting.

"We watched the proceedings for a time and then departed, the affair lacking interest.

"I saw no initiation service while I was at the meeting. The only other time I had ever been near any sort of Ku Klux Klan meeting was in Carthage, Mo., when I attended the Jasper County fair. I was seated in a box when several motor cars containing persons in klan costumes drove around the race track and then drove on out.

Knows Nothing of Klan Books.

"Regarding the statement that my name appears on the books of the klan at Tipton I can only say I have no knowledge of what appears on any klan books. I never have seen a klan book of any kind. I know that I never received any communication from the klan, never have joined it, never made application to join it, and never paid any initiation fee, dues or anything of the kind.

"My attention also has been called to a statement by Chairman Phares of the Republican state chairman, in which he says that I have held myself out to be a member of the klan in communities in which the klan is strong and that in anti-klan territory I have reiterated my statement that I have stood with John W. Davis. This statement I unqualifiedly brand as deliberately false. I never at any time have asked or sought the support of any person on the ground of religion, race or color, or by reason of their affiliation with any organization.

"When I am elected governor, in the selection of those who must be associated with me in the conduct of the state's affairs, I will appoint those who are fit to properly discharge the duties of the office, and in doing so I will not take into consideration their religious affiliations or the accidents of their place of birth."

Guests At Brown Home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Vedder, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lawshe and son, Eugene, of Savannah and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hurst, living near Rosendale, spent Sunday in Maryville as guests of Mrs. Jane Brown.

Mrs. Bessie Wannamaker of Chicago who has been visiting her grandson, Temple Allen, returned to her home last night. While here she was a guest of Mrs. Caleb Brogan.

WEST VIRGINIA IS COUNTED DOUBTFUL

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sist there never has been a thing in common between the Bryan idea of Democracy and the Davis brand.

Bryan Not Extremist.

Still John Davis has lived away from West Virginia for a few years and the selection of Bryan probably was born of a desire to prove to the political world that he was a conservative with an appreciation of what in the West is not called radical but progressive—the middle-ground between an unwillingness to move in the direction of the masses in their pleas for economic relief and the experimentalism of the extremists. Governor Bryan is not regarded in the west as an extremist like LaFollette but as an executive who has attempted to practice in office what he preached outside and who has not upset the economic order by his tactics.

Yet, as one goes into West Virginia and the East generally, the very name Bryan suggests instability to the conservative. Though the Democrats have endeavored to show that of the Bryan brothers, the one running for vice-president has always been the businessman, nevertheless there is not the response that such an argument might get west of the Mississippi river. For Davis and Bryan is an incomprehensible combination in a conservative state like West Virginia where conservative votes alone can aid John Davis to carry the state as LaFollette, not Coolidge, will get large numbers of the labor and radical citizenry.

MOVING PICTURES

At the Empire Theater tonight and Thursday will be Buster Keaton's third feature length Metro picture, "Sherlock Jr.," which is a Joseph M. Schenck production. This comedy is described as good-natured satire on the smalltown, detectives, and Hollywood, the three diverse subjects being scrambled together in the form of a delirium of a film booth operator in a country theatre.

In the supporting cast are Kathryn McGuire, Ward Crane, Joseph Keaton, Horace "Kewpie" Morgan, Jane and Erwin Connelly, Ford West, George Davis, John Patrick and Ruth Holley.

"Sherlock Jr." was written by Jean Havez, Joe Mitchell and Clyde Bruckman and was directed by Buster Keaton himself.

JOHN McDANIELS.

John McDaniels, democratic nominee for Representative in the Fourth Congressional District, is a farmer and is proud of that fact. He lives at Savannah, Andrew County and is 33 years in age. For 75 years the McDaniel family have tilled the soil in Andrew County. His father was a farmer and as was his grandfather. They passed the vocation down to him.

Mr. McDaniels is personally acquainted with every farmer of prominence in the Fourth Congressional District and all will vote for him in November. For years, although still a young man, he has been active in farmers enterprises in Northwest Missouri. While he has never held a political office Mr. McDaniels has been an active and enthusiastic democrat ever since he first voted. In 1922 Mr. McDaniels entered the democratic contest for the congressional nomination of the district. He ran a good second among three contestants. The following November the district went republican when it ought to have gone democratic. Early this year the farmers of the district persuaded Mr. McDaniels to again seek the democratic congressional nomination, promising him their united support at the primary and on election day, if he won. The nomination is his.

At the present time Mr. McDaniels is at the head of the Andrew County National Farm Loan Association, the largest branch of the Federal Land Bank of St. Louis in Missouri. When the successful Northwest Missouri Wool Pool was in existence Mr. McDaniels was at its head and it was through his knowledge, skill and energies that the wool of the farmer members was always marketed at the proper moment. It was the largest farmers' wool pool in the Missouri valley.

The Fourth Congressional District includes Andrew, Atchison, Buchanan, Holt, Nodaway and Platte counties.

Visiting At Robertson Home.

Mrs. Minnie Robertson of Edmond, Okla., is visiting at the home of her brother-in-law, Judge Jesse F. Robertson, and Mrs. Robertson for a few days.

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Baker, a Man of the People

The Fathers and Mothers of Missouri want their sons and daughters to have the best educational advantages possible.

Forward-looking citizens, planning for present development and future greatness of Missouri, know that the Boys and Girls of this State are its best assets.

Parents, ambitious for the future of their sons and daughters, are anxious that they shall remain at home at least until their minds are well started toward mature thought, and until a part of the habits that are to help in the shaping of their future destiny shall be fixed.

And the Fathers and Mothers of Missouri, especially in the rural communities, know that two agencies that will aid more than anything else in the holding of the young folks in the country homes are Good Schools and Good Roads.

The Republican party, in its conventions, in its party platforms, in campaigns and in the administration of State Government, when in power, has been the steadfast and sure party friend of Good Roads and Good Schools.

Knowing that efficient schools and practical highways cost money, Republican officials and candidates have refused to play the demagogue and try to fool the voters into the belief that proper schools could be maintained and real highway systems constructed without somebody being called upon to pay the bills.

When it came to the shaping of a party platform this year there were a few timid Republicans who wanted to "put on the soft pedal," sidestep some important issues and put in some planks framed out of "weasel words" that didn't mean anything. But the big majority of the delegates in the convention said: "No. The Republican party has not been an artful dodger in the past and it must not become that kind of a party now."

A flat stand was taken for Good Schools, for Initiative Proposition No. 5, for Tolerance and fairness between citizens and neighbors, for Consolidation of State Departments to eliminate waste, for Economy in the administration of government, for Law Enforcement, and for other policies that will tend to the present advantage and future betterment of this great State.

Sam A. Baker, the party candidate for Governor, has passed through those life experiences which have proved the surest developers of real men in these United States of America. He inherited no financial fortune or princely landed estate. He was born in poverty, and in boyhood attended a school of short term and of limited support, thus, early in life, getting practical knowledge of the needs of the poorer schools. He worked as a farm hand, section hand, mill hand, as clerk in a country store and postoffice. Ambitious for an education, he worked his way through college, then entered teaching work, where he quickly won unusual recognition. He served efficiently as principal of good schools, then was superintendent of some of the best schools in the better towns and smaller cities of the State. Elected State Superintendent of Schools in 1918, he left a record in that office never before equaled, the schools of the State making greater advancement during his term than in any previous four years of their history.

Mr. Baker is possessed of executive ability of a high order and his life training has peculiarly fitted him for the duties of the Governorship.

Especially at a time when the development of our Schools and Roads is at a critical stage, he has an understanding of those important questions that would render his services invaluable to Missouri during the coming four years.

The other candidates with him on the Republican State Ticket are all tried men, with the integrity and the ability to faithfully discharge the duties of the offices for which they have been nominated. They are:

For Lieutenant-Governor—PHIL A. BENNETT.
For Secretary of State—CHAS. U. BECKER.
For Attorney General—ROBERT W. OTTO.
For State Treasurer—C. EUGENE STEPHENS.
For State Auditor—L. D. THOMPSON.
For Judge of Supreme Court—FRANK E. ATWOOD.

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LET us make you a new set of curtains to open and close with the door or sew in new celluloid in your old ones. Also let's see about that top before the winter rush. Lanning Tire, Top, Paint and Varnish Co., in Chevrolet Bldg., S. Main. O2-N2

FOR RENT—Basement under Henderson Plumbing and Electrical Shop 209 N. Main. 01tf

WILL SELL 160 acre farm at a big sacrifice to close up an estate in the probate court if sold within ten days. Rich land, 3 miles from town. See me at once. M. G. Tate, administrator.

FOR RENT — Nicely furnished rooms, modern with running water; close in. Also garage. Call Hanamo phone 4743. 24tf

NOTICE — Parties wanting well boring done, call C. M. Baker at his new address, 615 South Walnut St. Hanamo 6494; Farmers 224-14 18-31*

FOR RENT—My residence, furnished, at 204 Lawn avenue for 6 or 7 months while I try to recover from my accident. S. H. Kemp. 22-23*

Market Report

Chicago, Oct. 22. — CATTLE—Receipts, 18,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 20,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 17,000.

St. Louis, Oct. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 7,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 16,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000.

Kansas City, Oct. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 11,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 3,500.

St. Joseph, Oct. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 7,500; top, $9.75; 25c lower.
SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000.

TODAY'S MARKET

Eggs, per doz.	33c
Leghorn Springs, per lb.	16c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Light hens, per lb	15c
Cocks, per lb	7c
Hens, per lb.	19c
Geese, per lb	10c
Springs, per lb	18c
Butterfat, per lb.	27c
Hides, per lb	4c

Gray Sells Steers at St. Joseph for $10.50

From Nodaway County Ray Boyer marketed a load of 906 pound yearling steers at $10 and J. H. Gray two loads of 1169 pound steers at $10.50 on the St. Joseph live stock market yesterday. Among Missouri shippers who were also on Tuesday's market were Henry Rowlette, Joe Holker, John W. Sherman, Roy Boyer, Frank Holzer and Charles W. Moore, all of Nodaway County.—St. Joseph Stock Yards Journal.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the People's Telephone Co., will be held at the phone office in Graham, Mo., at 2:30 p. m., Dec. 2, 1924.

SANFORD KAUFMAN, President.
GEO. T. BENNETT, Secretary.

Warranty Deed.

L. R. McMillen to C. I. Hann, the West half of southeast quarter, and the southeast quarter of southwest quarter of section 34, township 67, range 33, about five and a half miles northeast of Hopkins, for $2,000 consideration.

Albert W. Neeley and wife to Henry F. Davis, a part in the Ruth Davis property in section 4, township 64, range 34, for $75 consideration.

George F. Davis to George B. Mulholland, northeast quarter of section 27, also part of section 27, east of new channel of 102 River, all in township 64, range 35, 168 acres, for $31,000 consideration.

FOR RENT—Garage, 722 N. Walnut. Farmers 293-12. 21-23*

FOR RENT—2 rooms furnished for light housekeeping. 521 E. 6th. 22-24

FOUND—License plate 237-980 and tail light. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 22

LOST—Brown hand bag, containing boy's suit, kodak and toilet articles, in or near Maryville. Return to Democrat-Forum. Reward. 21-23

FOR demonstration of the Royal Cleaner now on special sale, call the Maryville Electric Light & Power Co. Get our special payment terms. 22-28

STRAYED—Black pony with white strip in face from farm of Joe O'Donnell; phone through Barnard. 22-23.

WANTED—Sewing and comfort tacking; also confinement cases to care for at my home. Hanamo 4114, or write Mrs. T. R. Cox, 603 S. Main. 22-24

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, modern except heat, with two lots; on East Second street. Hanamo 4515. 22-28

FOR RENT—Two rooms in modern home near College for students. Hanamo 5346. 21-23.

WANTED—Three or four room furnished apartment, modern. Inquire at Democrat-Forum. 21-23*

ROOM FOR RENT—Modern home, two boys, Mrs. Ed Masters, 510 N. Fillmore. 20-22

WRITE for Catalog of Duroc sale Oct. 22, at Hopkins. J. R. King & Son, Hopkins, Mo. 15-22*

WANTED—Place to keep house for widower or bachelor, by woman past 30 years, who wishes to keep mother with her. Inquire at Democrat-Forum. 21-22

Off the Concrete

Moved Transformers to Maryville Plant

(Clarinda Herald).

Three of the large county trucks were pressed into service Friday morning to each carry a five ton transformer from the Lee Electric Co. plant to the plant at Maryville, which is part of the Continental Gas and Electric Corporation. The transformers were held to the truck bed by heavy guy wires and planking was placed alongside to use on bridges which appeared unsafe for the heavy loads.

Once the transformers are placed in position at Maryville, the new 33,000 volt high line from Clarinda will be used, providing an additional protection for service and adding another link to Continental-Lee electric system.

The transformers on the Clarinda end are in the sub-station just east of the plant.

Several Good Slogans.

Vote as you please, but VOTE.

If you don't vote, don't kick.

Vote or keep your mouth shut.

Vote and then find fault.

A non-voter is a non-citizen.

If you don't vote, don't squeal about taxes.

Philco Batteries

A special Price on a quality battery makes it possible for us to put in your car—
A GENUINE PHILCO 11-plate 6-volt Battery full size and capacity—Guaranteed—

FOR ONLY

$12.50

EXCHANGE PRICE.

Philco Batteries, Guaranteed two years for all cars
We repair and recharge all makes of Batteries.

Kramer Tire Co.

Maryville, Mo.

Who Is Your Favorite For President?

Who Is Your Choice For Governor?

The Democrat-Forum is opening up its columns for expression of political sentiment in Nodaway County on the forthcoming presidential and gubernatorial elections. We invite you to fill out the following coupon and bring or send it to the Democrat-Forum, Maryville, Mo.

This poll is not confined to residents of Nodaway County. It is open to any reader of the Democrat-Forum.

Your name will not be printed, but all blanks must be signed, and only one blank to each voter.

My choice for President is.....

My choice for Governor is .....

Name.....

Address.....

INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN ON HOW TO VOTE

BLANKET BALLOTS TO BE USED NOVEMBER 4.

CROSS BELOW PARTY

If Person Wishes To Vote "Straight" Ticket, He Merely Places Cross in Circle Just Below Party Name.

Should the voter desire to vote a "Straight" party ticket he shall place a cross (X) mark in the circle immediately below the party name. If the voter desires to vote for one or more candidates on more than one party ticket, by voting what is commonly called a "split ticket" he may place a cross (X) mark in the circle immediately below one party name and mark cross (X) marks in the squares at the left of the names of the candidates on other tickets for whom he wishes to vote.

All candidates of the party whose circle is marked shall be counted as voted for, excepting where squares are crossed preceding the name of the candidates in other columns. If two or more candidates for the same office are thus designated, neither shall be counted. If the cross (X) is not placed in the circle immediately below the party name at the head of the column, but does appear in the squares opposite the various candidates' names, then only these names shall be counted for, and none other.

A cross (X) mark is any line crossing any other line at any angle within the voting space and no ballot shall be declared void because a cross (X) mark therein is irregular in form. It shall not be lawful to deface or tear a ballot in any manner nor to erase any printed name "except as provided above in this section," figures, word or letter therefrom, nor to erase any mark made thereon by such voter nor inclose in the folded ballot any other paper or any article. If the voter deface or tear a ballot, or wrongly mark the name or make an erasure therein, he may obtain one additional ballot on returning to the ballot clerk one so defaced or wrongly marked.

A ballot placed in the ballot box without any mark shall not be counted. Ballots shall be counted only for other person for whom the marks thereon are applicable; when a voter shall place a mark against two or more names for the same office, and only onne candidate is to be chosen for the office, none of the candidates shall be deemed to have been voted for and the ballots shall not be counted for either such candidate. Before leaving the booth the voter shall fold his ballot in such a manner as to conceal his marks thereon.

He shall mark his ballot without undue delay. He shall then hand the ballot to the judge of election selected to take ballots, who shall number the ballot and deposit it in in the ballot box. The voter shall quit and leave the voting booth as soon as possible.

ROYSTER ITEMS.

Hurrah for Royster! She won first prize at the Quitman School Fair. The booth was decorated with green and yellow crepe paper, and leaves were also used. Almost any product grown in Northwest Missouri was exhibited in the booth.

The patrons of the district turned out well, and helped work on the booth. The prize of twenty dollars ($20.00) will be used to buy things for the school.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Shelton and son Edward were Maryville visitors Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiland Thompson, Misses Pauline, Lois M., and Herman Thompson and Miss Lucile Duncan were guests at a supper given by Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Neal, in Quitman, Friday evening. Other callers at the Neal home that evening were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holt, and daughter, Miss Cleo, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Thompson and Cecil Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Thompson and sons Wilfred and Welburn, were in Maryville on business, Monday.

Several of the young people from the district attended the Lyceum number at Quitman, Monday night. They report that the program was especially good. The entertainment was furnished by the Columbia Players.

Fred Logan and family motored to Big Lake Sunday.

Frank Boring was a Burlington Junction visitor Friday.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

CUT FLOWERS and POTTED PLANTS
for any occasion at
KISSINGER GREENHOUSES
Block South St. Francis Hospital—Hanamo 374

A full range of vision with our glasses that restore your sight to normal.

Kuchs Bros.
Optometrists
Maryville, Mo

ECZEMA!

Money back without question if HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES (Hunt's Salve and Soap), fail in the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter or other itching skin diseases. Try this treatment at our risk.

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Maryville, Mo.

DRS. SMOCK AND DAVIS
Osteopathic Physicians
Office 308½ North Main
Over Montgomery Shoe Store.
Hanamo 485; Farmers 119.

K. SEARS, D. V. M.
Veterinarian
Treats diseases of all domestic animals; fowls a specialty.
Phones: Hanamo 41, Far. 205.

To the

Farmer, Merchant and Consumer

Do you want the cost of everything manufactured or sold in Missouri to be materially increased?

Do you know that the state government and all its institutions are maintained largely through taxes paid by business?

And that, if business is driven out the tax loss to the state must be made up by an increase in your taxes?

Do you favor the creation of another commission with absolute control over millions of dollars annually?

Shall Missouri adopt the most radical law of its kind in the world--drawn for the special benefit of a few--the cost of which must fall upon all?

Don't vote for a measure which will hamper the progress of Missouri without having read it, or gotten a thorough understanding of all its technical and dangerous provisions.

"Better be safe than sorry"

VOTE NO

PROPOSITION NO. 6

Drastic and costly Workmen's Compensation Act

Tuesday, Nov. 4

Associated Industries of Missouri

Dr. Burris to Be at Elmo Monday Night

Order of First M. E. Church Service At Elmo Is Announced By Pastor, the Rev. E. O. Wells.

(By the Rev. Edgar O. Wells.)

Brothers and sisters of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, South, we thank you for your very gracious invitation to your Home Coming services last Sunday. We thank you not alone for the physical food which was so well prepared, and partaken of, and also for that indefinable spirit which prompted the invitation, and which was shown in the large congregation which greeted our pastor at the preaching services in the afternoon, and to crown the Holy Sabbath with glory, for the spontaneous outpouring of your people at our service on Sunday night, which the great psalmist emphasises in Psalm 133.

The pastor and his wife were neatly surprised in the home coming of their son, his wife, and our grandson, who were accompanied by Mr. Ray Scott, the cousin of our Otis, who drove up to the parsonage just as we were ready to start for Sunday School and returned to their home in St. Joseph at about 5:00 p. m. The morning congregation greatly enjoyed his singing of "The Heart Which Was Broken For Me," just before the sermon. This happy family are members of the South Park Methodist Church, where your pastor was in charge for nine years.

The following will be the order of services for next Sunday, October 26th, all of which will be at the usual hours: Sunday School followed by worship and a sermon on "Spiritual Agriculture in the Twentieth Century." Epworth League Topic at night, "The Christian Citizen and Industry." Sermon theme, "The Signs of the Times in the World of Today." The first quarterly conference will be conducted by Dr. W. F. Burris on Monday night, after the preaching service at 7:30 p. m. Come. He is an interesting preacher. The union revival services will be fully announced Sunday.

Oil Company Halted in Erecting Station

School Board Files Injunction In Circuit Court Against Marland Refining Co.

The School Board of Maryville filed an injunction in Circuit Court this morning against the Marland Refining Co., of Ponca, Okla., a corporation, to restrain the Refining Co., from erecting and conducting a filling station on the corner of East First and Vine streets, immediately across the street from the High School building.

A temporary writ of injunction was ordered and the bond fixed at $1,500. The hearing in this case is set for October 29, and the School Board of the School District will appear at this time to show cause why a filling station should not be erected and the Marland Refining Co., will also appear to present its side.

The application reads, "an application for injunction and restraining order to enjoin you, (the Marland Refining Co.,) from constructing, erecting or maintaining a filling station until some further order be made."

The contention of the School Board is that an irreparable injury will occur to plaintiff in conduct of its schools and would and will constitute a menace to the life and safety of the plaintiff's pupils in attendance at the Washington School Building and in a large measure depreciate the value of its property.

At the point where the Refining Co., commenced to construct a filling station is approximately 100 feet from front of the entrance to the school building. There are about 500 grade pupils and 400 high school pupils, a total of 900, in attendance at the Washington School Building, and the maintenance of a service and filling station in such close proximity would enhance the lives of school children, is the claim set forth by the School Board.

Further operations have been suspended in the construction of the filling station as a result of the writ of temporary injunction ordered and on October 29, a week from today, cause will be shown before Judge John M. Dawson, why a permanent injunction should not be ordered by the court.

Regular V. F. W. Meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m. Be there!

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26

The dedication of the Bethany Christian Church, 7 miles southwest of Barnard. A basket dinner will follow the regular morning services. The dedication services in the afternoon, to be conducted by Pastor Charles T. Aikens, who will be assisted by the Reverend Hagee of Barnard.

To Review Number of Claims of Veterans

Will Be Carried On As Speedily As Possible By United States Veterans Bureau By Director Hines.

Washington, Oct. 22.—A complete review of all disallowed claims in the United States Veterans Bureau, amounting to more than $500,000, will be carried on as speedily as possible, Director Hines announced today.

Several weeks ago, the disabled American veterans, through national commander Frank Irwin, brought the matter up to Mr. Hines as the most urgent proposition before the bureau and investigation showed there are 533,106 disallowed claims. Irwin believes that many of the disabled veterans may not have received benefits, either because they became discouraged by delays or else unfamiliarity with the Reed-Johnson bill, which has many liberal clauses that will include many men who have been barred under previous laws.

To Investigate Slaying of U. S. Army Sentry

Is Found Shot To Death Near Nurses Quarters of Walter Reed General Hospital At Washington.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Army authorities today began an investigation of the apparent murder of private Russel Shore, a sentry, found shot to death outside the nurses quarters at the Walter Reed General Hospital here, shortly after midnight. He had been shot with his own gun which was found a few feet from the body. The ground showed signs of a terrific struggle.

Comrades of the dead soldier advanced the theory today that the sentry had accidently stumbled upon a "spooning party" and was killed in the encounter that followed.

Silas Briggs of St. Joseph and Eugene Briggs of Kansas City are business visitors in Maryville.

JUST ARRIVED.

Car each Illinois washed nut, $6.50 to $7.00; Franklin County Illinois nut $8 to $8.50 per ton. Wm. Everhart.

ELECTRIC THEATRE

TONIGHT AND TOMORROW—

Reginald Denny in "Sporting Youth"

A dazzling story of young love, young life, young ideas, bountifully equipped with money and searching for new sensations! The great race for pleasure—and the still greater automobile race will hold you spellbound! Also Aesop's Fable, "ALL STAR CAST." Matinee at 3:00—10c and 30c. Night 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 30c.

FRIDAY, Oct. 24—Charles Jones in "CUPID'S FIREMAN." Thrills, throbs and thunderous action stamp "Cupid's Fireman" as the most dramatic picture on the life of a fireman ever filmed. Also International News. Matinee at 3:00—10c and 30c. Night 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 30c.

SATURDAY, Oct. 25—Florence Vidor, Rockcliffe Fellowes and Earle Williams in "BORROWED HUSBANDS." Also a two reel western, Marie Walcamp in "TEMPEST CODY GETS HER MAN."

ANNOUNCEMENT

As we are quitting business we will sell entire stock, consisting of a complete stock of dry goods, ladies' ready-to-wear, Men's, women's and children's shoes, men's clothing and furnishings, rugs and linoleums.

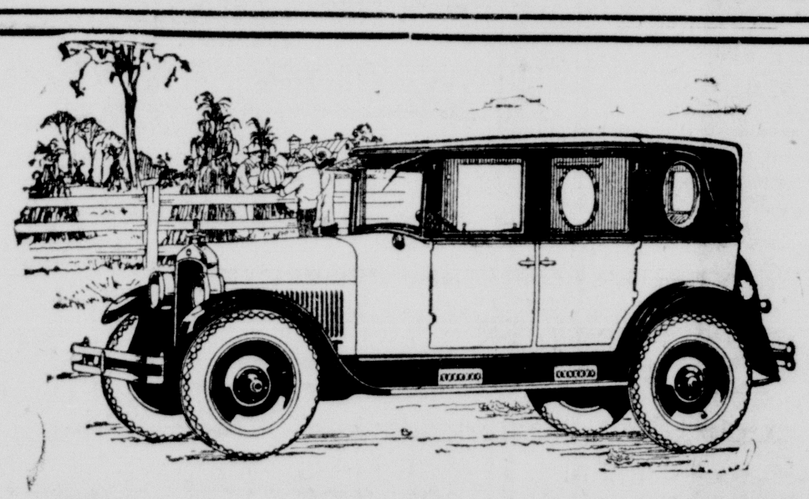
Starting Saturday, October, 25

All fixtures are for sale.

Stock may be purchased in bulk if desired.

Wolfers Merc. Co

Hopkins, Mo.



The smooth performance of the new Oakland Landau Sedan is quite as outstanding as its fine appearance.

Features of the Landau Sedan that are winning and holding good will

Four-wheel brakes, Fisher Body with one-piece V.V. windshield, Duco finish, balloon tires, disc wheels, full automatic spark control, unit instrument panel, driving controls on steering wheel, bumpers front and rear, automatic windshield cleaner, snubbers on front springs, transmission lock, gasoline gauge on instrument board, rear-view mirror, Moto-meter and wing cap, heater, and plush mohair upholstery.

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OUR 571-STORE BUYING POWER SAVES YOU MONEY.

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We Have Been "Blazing the Trail."

Pioneer woodsmen "blazed the trail" as they went forward by cutting chips from the tree trunks every few feet apart so that it was easy for anyone to follow and find his way back.

The J. C. Penney Company has been blazing the trail for the buying public for twenty-three years. Its "blaze marks" are known to hundreds of thousands of its customers as SERVICE, QUALITY and LOW PRICES.

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Students' Sports Suits
In Newest Stylish Colors

Our display of students' suits will appeal to young men who are particular about their dress.

The Model Illustrated

is single breasted, has notch collar, patch pockets with box plait and flaps to button. The back is finished with yoke with box and knife plaits. Three quarter loose belt.

Blue Serges
Cassimeres
Unfinished Worsteds
Stylish Colors
Neat Stripes
Broken Checks
Overplaids

$19.75

others, $14.75 to $24.75

Favcred English Model
In Young Men's Fall Suits

$24.75

Carefully tailored in handsome shades of stylish all wool cassimeres. Patterns are neat and attractive. The broad notch lapel, blunt vest and semi-straight back (without vent) of this English model give it an individuality which is greatly appreciated by good dressers.

Others, $29.75 and $34.75

Real Velours
In All the New Colors

New, genuine Velours with a soft, deep, rich finish. Quality satin lining. Silk band. Easy fitting, all leather sweat band. Remarkable at

$3.98

Boys' Hosiery
Good Quality

Heavy ribbed; reinforced heels and toes. Per pair,

25c

Youths' and Boys'
Brown Bluchers

Of bear skin. Two full soles, some have spring others tap heel as pictured.

5½ to 8 ..... $1.98
8½ to 12 ..... $2.25

Boys' Suits-Two Knickers
Popular Styles-Priced Low

Our smart styles meet instant favor. They are popular, snappy and keep the boys well dressed. Durable materials in handsome patterns offer splendid choice at

$6.90 to $13.75

Extra knickers mean double wear—that's why boys like them.

Our low prices would be a big value for just a one-knicker suit. It's really like buying two suits at the price of one when you get the extra knickers.

Men's New Dress Oxfords
Popular Style Priced Low

Mahogany Letus oxfords with popular perforated circular vamp and tip. Half rubber heel. Single welt sole. Attractively priced at

$4.50

Men's Socks
Mercerized Cotton

Durable Socks of good quality. Pair,

25c

Husking Mitts
For Men

Boss—double faced, double thumb, knit wrist and heavy weight, per dozen pairs

$2.25

Double faced thumb, double stitched, heavy single palm, knit wrist, per dozen pairs

$2.39

Union Suits
All-Wool

Men's Union Suits. White or grey.

$4.98

Ribbed Union Suits
For Men

Medium weight, full cut unions. A splendid value, for

$1.39 Per suit

Heavy Shirts
Part Wool

A heavy shirt for cool weather. Assorted colors. Each

$1.98

Underwear
For Boys

Knit Underwear, good weight, ribbed, silver.

98c

Men's High Top Shoes

A 16 inch heavy solid leather shoe, with a double welt nailed sole. Per pair

$6.90

Winter Weight Work Caps

Heavy khaki and corduroy caps. A lot of wear for only

$1.19